

Evergreen P.A.C. ATV Club Meeting – May 2, 2019 at Denham Run

In attendance: Gary and Luann Allison, Gale and Jeff Bradford, Diana and Scott Brecht, Marshall Diehl, Steve Diehl, Jim and Maureen Gassert, Greg Jones, Jerry Juutilainen and Barbara Perron, David Lehtola, Dawn and Phil Lippo, Fred Neumann, Roger and Sue Pieper, Al and Carmen Rinta, Eric Senarighi, Jerry Stone, Mary Stratka, Jim Tourville and Carol Allen, Darlene and Franklin Turnock, Kevin Turnock, Daniel Williams, Debbie and Roger Yotter

President Gassert called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

Jim Tourville moved to accept the treasurers report with \$23,348.87. Al Rinta seconded the motion and it carried.

Carmen Rinta moved to accept the minutes of the April 4, 2019 meeting as read. Steve Diehl seconded the motion and it carried.

Franklin Turnock and Fred Neumann reported on the Region III meeting at Cuyuna. There will be a Grand-In-Aid session on June 8, 2019 from 10:00 AM to 3:30 PM in St Paul. There is a seminar at Bemidji on June 19, 2019. All clubs are encouraged to attend. There is a cost of \$20.00 per person, but it will be on the web later. Class I's and Class II's are being sold at 50/50 now. Dave Halsey would like any ATV news to print in the newsletter and will put it on facebook.

Mary Stratka, Moose Lake Supervisor for Pine and Carlton Counties spoke and answered questions pertaining to ATV's. Low pressure tires were discussed. They have an impact on the trails, but part of that is how you drive. A Conservation Officer isn't going to stop you for that, but if he stops you for something else can ticket you. The new Atlas is close to be printed. Some trails are open so check the DNR site to see availability of the trails you want to ride. Marty has visited a few times and still doing PT.

Franklin Turnock reported Kangas Enterprise graded the Soo Line. Beaver damage has been a problem along the trail. Carlton County hired a trapper from Wisconsin to Aitkin County Line.

Franklin Turnock moved to have another 2,000 Carlton/Pine maps printed not to exceed \$1,200.00. Deb Yotter seconded the motion and it carried. 65% of the cost comes out of the grant.

We trained 27 youth at Moose Lake. Tamarack is full with 30 kids signed up. Palisade has 20 youth signed up and with the size capacity, we can take many more. Up North ATV Club helps with the Palisade training. There were many positive comments from parents with the new format of putting the information on a screen.

The ATV simulator should be available in June according to Perry May.

The May 18th Ride at McQuaids will be Friday night. There will be a pancake breakfast Saturday Morning, guided rides, and a pig roast Saturday afternoon. It is a fund raiser and get together for ATVAM.

Roger Yotter moved to adjourn the meeting. Franklin Turnock seconded the motion and it carried.

NOTE: May 4th is the Youth Training in Tamarack. Anyone wishing to help should be there at 8:30.

Darlene Turnock, Secretary/Treasurer